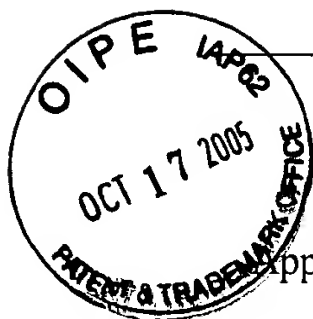


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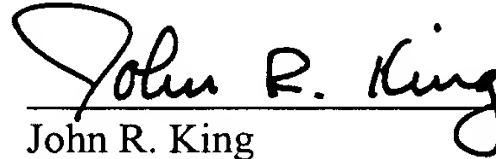
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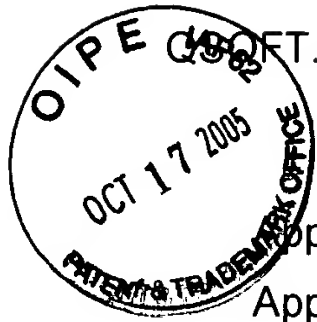
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following clarifications and comments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.